

**Fasting Animals.**  
A horse will live twenty-five days without solid food, merely drinking water. A bear will go for six months, while a viper can exist for ten months without food. A serpent in confinement has been known to refuse food for twenty-one months.

**From War to Peace.**  
Two cannon from the Civil War are to be melted and cast into a statue representing peace. What a contrast—as great in a way as the change Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will bring about in the health of any who use it. It cures constipation, dyspepsia or weak kidneys. Try it.

**Riding "Bike" in Sea Bottom.**  
Daniel M. Nilloch, an American diver, undertook to ride a bicycle at the bottom of the sea a few years ago. In his heavy diving dress, weighing over 200 pounds, he was lowered into twenty feet of water, and rode the machine for a considerable distance.

**Chinese Idea of Sacrilege.**  
It is considered a sacrilegious act to tread on a piece of printed paper in China. Receptacles for waste paper are on every street corner. It is a meritorious act to gather the sacred characters and save them from desecration. Love of learning is so great that many learn to read from the flowery Oriental signs over the shop fronts.

**Suspenders or Belt; Not Both.**  
"Don't ever again, unless you want me to cut you," said the club man, "wear suspenders and a belt at the same time. It is in very bad form, for you are wearing the belt for ornament only, or else you are wearing the suspenders for that purpose, and it is an axiom that any useless ornamentation of the male is wretched taste."—Philadelphia Record.

**Palace Car for Dogs.**  
In England a sort of special palace car has been built for dogs. Each dog will have a species of loose box constructed on highly luxurious and hygienic principles, provided with running water, elegantly nicked food receptacles and even thick and velvet mats to lie down upon, while plate-glass windows will allow them to admire the landscape.

**Soldiers Drink Bad Water.**  
Speaking of the health of the British army in South Africa, the Lancet says that "one of the greatest difficulties which confront the medical officers is to induce the men to drink water which has been rendered as pure as possible by boiling or filtering. After a long march the average soldier will run any risk to obtain a draught of water, however bad."

**Shoot at Moving Targets.**  
Movable targets of a new sort have been invented for the use of the German army. These targets are propelled toward the marksmen at full speed to represent a cavalry charge, being run on rollers, the motive power supplied by horses which are started at a gallop after being attached to the target ropes. The soldiers thus learn to gauge distance and its variations with great accuracy.

**British Guinea for Settlement.**  
With a view of relieving some of the congested districts of India, British authorities are considering the question of opening up British Guinea as a field for immigration. It is hoped that some entire Hin-doo communities may be induced to settle in the South American possession, where the climate and soil would combine to give the strangers a much better living than they have hitherto known.

## Ten Years Pain

"I am a school teacher, have suffered agony monthly for ten years."

"My nervous system was a wreck. I suffered with pain in my side and had almost every ill known. I had taken treatment from a number of physicians who gave me no relief."

"One specialist said no medicine could help me, I must submit to an operation."

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## FOR COMMERCIAL FREEDOM.

United States Opposed To Any Division Of Chinese Territory.

### VICEROYS WELL DISPOSED.

Washington, Aug. 27.—The first assurances reached here that the powerful Chinese viceroys were disposed to accept the new conditions of affairs in China and would assist in the maintenance of peace. The information came in a dispatch through diplomatic channels and stated that one of the foreign officers had received a telegram from two of the most powerful central viceroys stating that they had intended to give their best efforts to maintain quiet throughout the central portions of China. As this assurance came after the capture of Pekin it is regarded as a favorable sign of disposition of the viceroys, whose authority in the interior is very great. Their course has been watched with much concern by officials, for since Pekin is in a chaotic condition, the most influential authority in the empire is that of the viceroys.

A cabinet officer is authority for the statement that alleged differences among the powers brought on by the reported action of Russia have not disturbed this government in the least and that there is no information in possession of this government that Russia has declared war or that she is pursuing a course in any way different from that of other governments represented in China. Every resource of diplomacy will be exhausted to prevent partition of the empire, and it was said that the diversion of American troops to Manila, already announced by the war department, was practical evidence to the other powers of the good faith of the United States in this matter. Our work in China has been accomplished in large part by the relief of the legations, that of aiding to restore and maintain peace can be accomplished through the troops already on Chinese soil.

This government is in a position to demand commercial freedom in China as a minimum condition of the final settlement in the event of territorial division of the Chinese empire, should that be accomplished. The United States, of course, wants no territory, and it is felt that her rights as to commercial freedom are too clear to be gainsaid by the other nations interested.

**Room in Shipbuilding.**  
Chicago, Aug. 25.—Contracts have been closed here for the building of a number of steel ships by the American Ship Building company. Seventeen had already been contracted for. The rush, it is said, is due principally to the drop in the price of steel, the current price being \$25 per ton for steel plates as compared with \$70 during boom times.

The seventeen boats contracted for will cost about \$3,700,000 and will have a combined carrying capacity of 90,000 tons. The building work will give employment to 7,000 men. All the boats contracted for are to be freighters.

**Life Sentence for Lynchers.**  
Palestine, Tex., Aug. 24.—Former Justice of the Peace Joseph Wilkerson, the alleged leader of the mob that lynched the three Humphreys in Henderson county in May, 1899, and J. A. Williams, Sam Hall and John F. Haddie, the remaining defendants, pleaded guilty to murder in the first degree and each received a life sentence in the penitentiary.

**Paid \$3,500 for Train Robbers.**  
Goodland, Kas., Aug. 25.—O. H. Swingle, of Omaha, adjuster for the Union Pacific railway company, has settled claims regarding the capture of the Union Pacific train robbers. The reward of \$2,000 was paid to Sheriff Walker, J. B. Riggs and George Callins. The adjuster allowed Mr. Bartholomew \$1,100 for the burning of his dugout. Other claims that the adjuster settled bring the amount up to about \$3,500. The payment of the claims outside of the reward was voluntary.

**Official Executions in Iowa.**  
Mount Pleasant, Ia., Aug. 25.—John W. Stone, superintendent of the industrial department of the state hospital for insane here has been arrested on a charge of stealing state supplies and selling them for his own benefit. He waived examination and was locked up in default of \$1,500 bail. It is believed that his arrest will lead to the unearthing of a big gang of thieves who have been systematically robbing state institutions here and elsewhere for thousands of dollars in supplies.

**Potatoes Too Cheap.**  
Lawrence, Aug. 26.—The Kaw valley potato growers are thoroughly discouraged this year. Low prices and a slow market have prevailed and the growers say they will make no money out of potatoes this year. Next year they propose to cut down the acreage. Some of the best patches in the valley turned out as high as 250 to the acre, but in most of the fields the yield is from 75 to 125 bushels. This week the growers are getting 18 and 19 cents a bushel for their potatoes on the cars.

**Captain Reilly From Kansas.**  
Washington, D. C., Aug. 24.—Captain Henry J. Reilly, killed in Pekin, was born September 24, 1845. He enlisted in the Fifth artillery September 22, 1864, and was soon promoted to be a sergeant. In 1866 he was made a lieutenant, but did not reach the grade of captain until 1894. He went to Cuba during the Spanish war, but did not reach Cuba until after the Santiago war was over. Captain Reilly was graduated from the army artillery school in 1876.

## MILITIA AT AKRON.

**Ten Companies of the Ohio National Guard Arrive.**  
Akron, Ohio, Aug. 25.—When the day dawned after the reign of the mob during all the hours of the night, it revealed a scene of desolation. The rioters had done their awful work and had dispersed. One child was lying dead and nearly a score of persons were suffering from the wounds of pistol balls, buckshot and missiles.

The city building was a heap of smoldering ruins, and beside it steamed the water-soaked ashes of Columbia hall.

The police force of the city was disorganized and scattered. The chief had left the city. Electric wires, deadly to the touch, lay across the streets in the vicinity of the burned buildings and debris of all kinds was scattered far and near. The downtown streets were just as the mob had left them, and, although nothing was being done by the rioters, crowds of spectators, hundreds in number, hung around, waiting for something to turn up. When Company C arrived from Canton, at 6:30, there was no open resistance except by hisses and groans. At 9:30 nine more companies of militia arrived. Rioting is squelched yet active measures are being made to prevent another night's work by the mob.

**Camped on Sacred Ground.**  
London, Aug. 27.—The allied troops surrounded the imperial city August 23 and stationed sentries at the gates. They refrain from entering, pending instructions from their governments. General Chaffee says the fighting is ended. The American troops are encamped on the grounds of the Temple of Heaven. The Chinese are supposed to have fled northward. While the commanders of the allied forces were waiting for instructions from their governments as to what to do in the present condition of the telegraph service, the work of repairing the railroad beyond Yang Tsun is progressing slowly and the transportation of supplies by boats on the Pei Ho river is improving.

**Fall of Important Propositions.**  
Washington, Aug. 25.—The reply is considered a remarkable document because of its extreme brevity and the number of vital points it contains. While casual reading of the document would convey the idea that it was simply a rejection of China's proposition, yet an analysis discloses that it is full of important propositions, which will be the guiding principles of this government for the present time.

**Shot for Treason.**  
London Aug. 27.—A special dispatch from Pretoria says General Lord Roberts has confirmed the sentence of death imposed upon Lieutenant Cordua, formerly of the Staats artillerij, who was convicted of being a ring-leader in the plot to abduct General Roberts and kill British officers. Another dispatch from Pretoria says that Lieutenant Cordua has been shot.

**Butcher's Own Honor.**  
Port Gibson, Miss., Aug. 23.—Charles F. Wheeler, a merchant of Grand Gulf, near Port Gibson, shot and killed W. C. Williams, a fisherman, and his 7-year-old son, and mortally wounded a negro boy. The two last named were bystanders. Williams leaves a large family. Wheeler says the shooting was done to protect his honor.

**Positive Knowledge.**  
Washington, Aug. 23.—The government has received positive confirmation from official Chinese sources of the departure of the emperor and press dower from Pekin. They went westward, but the point at which they are now located was not given.

**Senator J. P. Dolliver.**  
Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 24.—Governor Shaw has announced the appointment of Congressman J. P. Dolliver, of Fort Dodge to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator John H. Gear. The appointment runs to March 4, 1901. The legislature does not meet in regular session until 1902, and Dolliver's appointment is likely to be renewed to run until his successor is elected. There will be numerous candidates before the next legislature.

**Storm at River Towns.**  
Leavenworth, Aug. 27.—A wind, rain and electrical storm has destroyed most of the apple and peach crop in the southern part of the county. A house belonging to the Sisters of Charity was turned on its foundation and several small buildings at the Soldiers' Home were blown down and trees uprooted. In Clay county, Mo., damage was done to stacks, trees, fences and small buildings. At Liberty tents at the fair grounds were blown down and a few people injured. A residence was destroyed.

**Sentenced to Life Imprisonment.**  
Arkron, O., Aug. 27.—Peck, the negro who caused the action of the mob here, was brought from Cleveland, taken before the court, plead guilty of rape upon a mere child, and was sentenced to life imprisonment. The prisoner and escort were guarded while here by the state militia. So quickly was all this done, and the prisoner sent to the penitentiary at Columbus, that few people knew what had transpired until it was all over and the prisoner safe.

**Damages by Forest Fires.**  
Denver, Colo., Aug. 24.—C. E. Wandland, general land agent of the Union Pacific railroad, estimates the damage, present and prospective, caused by the forest fires in Colorado and Wyoming at \$10,000,000. The loss of timber burned, he says, is only a comparatively small item in the total amount of damage. Lands which could have been sold for homes because of the pleasant surroundings will now for years not be worth much.

**Thirty-Six New Peers.**  
In the last five years that he has been in office Lord Salisbury has created thirty-six new peers, and of these ten have been taken from the ranks of the lawyers. They are Lord James of Hereford, Viscount Llandaff (H. Matthews), Lord Rathmore (D. R. Plunkett), Lord Kinnear (a Scotch judge), Lord Ludlow (the late Lord Justice Lopes), Lord Brampton (Sir Henry Hawkins), Sir R. Webster, Sir P. O'Brien and Lord Morris, an ex-lord of appeal, who is now made a peer in the United Kingdom.

**Crowded Little Cemetery.**  
In a little graveyard in Philadelphia which is about giving away to the march of improvement, the bodies are being disinterred for reburial elsewhere. The cemetery, which was the burying ground of the Third Baptist church, does not measure more than 50x80 feet, but fully 1,300 bodies have been interred there. Whole families were buried in there, and the men in charge of the work have encountered from five to seven skeletons in these tier boxes.

**Shag Rock Removed.**  
The work of removing Shag rock, that has ever been a menace to shipping in San Francisco harbor, is completed. A survey of the bottom of the bay at the spot where the rock had shown its head above the water was made July 9 and thirty-seven feet of water clear was found. A guarantee of thirty feet of water was required of the contractors. Work will now be commenced in removing Arch rock.

**Patience of a Beaten Wife.**  
William Cookingham of Cortland, N. Y., had several times been arrested for beating his wife, but the woman begged him off each time. On being once more brought into court on the same charge his honor told Mrs. Cookingham that her husband must now be punished, but that any sentence she might suggest would be imposed. She asked that he be sent to jail for thirty days, which was done.

**Abraham Q. Garrettsen.**  
Abraham Q. Garrettsen of Jersey City, who has been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Justice Lippincott of the supreme bench, has announced that he will resign from the directorates of all corporations with which he is associated. He has been personally identified with the management of many banks, railroads and trust companies.

**The Major's Pinch.**  
Maj. Liwellan, of the rough riders, was recently operated upon for appendicitis, and the surgeons discovered two big bullets while they were carving him. When he revived from the anesthetics they showed them to their patient, who calmly observed: "There are two more in there somewhere; did you see anything of them?"

**Gold-Seeking in Norway.**  
Le Tour du Monde reports that prospecting for gold has been begun in Norway about sixty miles south of Bossekop, Lapland, in the Altenelva valley, with what are so far very promising results. Operations will be continued during the summer. The geological formation is similar to that of the Klondike.

**Some Aged Rulers.**  
Charles Alexander, Grand Duke of Saxe-Weimar, who has just completed his eighty-second year, is fourth among European rulers in age and seniority as sovereign. The Pope is his senior in age by eight years, while Queen Victoria has been sixteen years longer on the throne.

**Settling in Southern Islands.**  
Settlement in the Southern Pacific continues apace. The annexation of the Solomon islands by Great Britain was followed by an influx of British enterprise. The future trade of the Solomon islands bids fair to become an important item in Australasian commerce.

**Climatic Effects on Brain.**  
Dr. Charles H. Latimer of St. Elizabeth's asylum, Washington, has been commissioned by the government to go to the Philippines to study and report upon the rumored effect of the climate of those islands upon the Occidental brain.

**Duke and His Feecery.**  
Of recent years the Duke of York has turned his attention to salmon fishing, and, in company with his quarry, Sir Charles Cust, has spent some days fishing the pools of Dee in the royal preserves of the Aberdeenshire and Balmoral.

**Graveyards are Sacred.**  
No greater crime is known in China than that of desecrating a graveyard. Because graves are found everywhere in China, the first railroad built there had to follow a very circuitous route in order to avoid them.

**Blind Music Teacher.**  
Frederick Winklemann, who has been selected by the New York Board of Education as lecturer on music, has never been able to read a note excepting with his fingers. He was born blind.

**Wireless Telegraphy for Signaling.**  
Wireless telegraphy stations are to be established by order of the chief signal service officer of the United States in the harbors of San Francisco, Porto Rico and the Philippines.

**A woman's wrongs are of more importance than her rights.**  
It's a case of misdirected energy when a young man runs after a girl who doesn't appreciate him.

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### The Muir Glacier.

The grand feature of the Alaskan excursion—the Muir glacier, the largest in the known world—was named after Professor Muir of California, who first explored it some twenty years ago. It is about 35 miles long, with a width of one and three-quarters miles in its front portion to 15 miles further back. It rises from 100 to 250 feet above the surface of the sea, and extends under it at least three times as far.

**Must Have Searchlights.**  
All vessels passing through the Suez canal must satisfy the agents of the canal company that they have on board one electric searchlight of a power sufficient to illuminate the channel for a distance of 4,000 feet ahead, and constructed so as to admit of rapid splitting up of the beam into separate segments with a dark sector in the middle, and also with electric lights capable of lighting up a circular area 700 feet in diameter.

### Old Script Still Out.

An officer of the treasury department estimates that more than \$15,000,000 worth of the old-fashioned fractional paper currency is still outstanding, and, though some of it has doubtless been destroyed, the bulk of it is held by collectors and private individuals. Every now and then some old person dies, and the heirs, finding a quantity of the "shipplasters" in a disused pocketbook or some other hiding place, send them to Washington to be redeemed.

### Steamboat Taken to Elevated Lake.

The engineering feat of transporting a steamboat of 550 tons from Scotland to Lake Titicaca—the most elevated lake in South America—has just been completed. It was constructed in Scotland and then taken in sections to Molendo, Peru, from which place it was carried in twenty-two cars to the railroad skirting the steep sides of the Andes to the lakeside, nearly 13,000 feet above the sea level. There the sections of the vessel were put together again and the boilers and engines installed.

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### Egypt's Insane Hospital.

Ever since the thirteenth century Egypt has had but one hospital for the insane. The number of patients in it has risen from 300 to 500, and it has been called "an abomination to the human race."

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A boy is always willing to go over to a neighbor's to borrow the ice cream freezer.

Some articles must be described. White's Yucca need no description; it's the real thing.

No, Maude, dear, the cannibal who eats a grass widow could scarcely be called a vegetarian.

When it comes to blowing the froth from a glass of beer any young man can raise the wind.

Mothers must not forget that Dr. Moffett's TEETHINA (Teething Powders) will cure their child.

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